

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF SOCIAL SECURITY ACT
RESERVATION OF BEDS IN LONG TERM CARE FACILITIES

Payment is made for reserving beds in long term care facilities for recipients during their temporary absence without restriction or prior authorization up to 24 days annually for therapeutically indicated home visits. Exceptions beyond 24 days are subject to prior approval. Payment is made to intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded without limitation on the number of home visit days.

Payment is made for reserving beds for residents of a nursing facility who are discharged to a general or psychiatric hospital for a period not to exceed 10 days. Medicaid reimbursement for bed hold shall be at 90% per diem for a maximum of 10 days.

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Reservation of Beds in Residential Treatment Centers

Payment is made for reserving beds for residents of residential treatment centers in those instances where a resident is temporarily absent from the center. Reasons for absence include, but are not limited to, vacations with parents, foster parents or guardians; attendance at a residential camp; hospitalization; or residence in a temporary shelter. Payment is made up to 14 continuous days for such absences.

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